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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, MASS, US, JO

SUBJECT: EMERSON MINITAT SYSTEM

REF: A) AMMAN 646 B) STATE 14845

1. MUNITIONS CONTROL ISSUED FEBRUARY 25 AN EXPORT LICENSE FOR ONE RPT ONE MINITAT ARMAMENT SYSTEM FOLLOWING RENEWED APPLICATION BY EMERSON ELECTRIC CO. AS NOTED REFTEL B, THIS LICENSE COVERS ONLY THE TURRET PORTION OF THE SYSTEM. WE HAVE NOTIFIED JORDANIAN MILATT IN WASHINGTON THAT GOJ SHOULD REQUEST AN LOA FOR THE GUN-MECHANISM THROUGH FMS CHANNELS. WE HAVE MADE IT CLEAR TO MILATT THAT GOJ AND EMERSON WILL HAVE TO WORK OUT FUNDING ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE GUN-MECHANISM, WHICH WE ASSUME WAS ENVISAGED AS PART OF EMERSON'S INITIAL GIFT.

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2. YOU MAY INFORM KING HUSSEIN THAT WE ARE APPROVING EXPORT LICENSE FOR ONE MINITAT FOR HIS PERSONAL USE.

3. THIS LICENSE IS BEING ISSUED DESPITE EARLIER ACDA OBJECTIONS WHICH ACDA IS NOT PUSHING IN VIEW OF POLITICAL CONSIDERATIONS IN THIS CASE. HOWEVER, EMBASSY AND GOJ

SHOULD KNOW THAT ANY FUTURE GOJ REQUEST FOR MORE MINITATS
WILL BE REVIEWED VERY CAREFULLY. ACDA'S PAST OBJECTIONS
ARE LIKELY TO BE REPEATED AND IN NO WAY CAN WE PREDICT
WHETHER ANY EXPORT LICENSE FOR MINITATS WILL BE ISSUED
AGAIN IN FUTURE.
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